



Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Canceled)
2. (Currently Amended) The induction cookware of ~~claim 4~~
claim 9 wherein the decorative outer layer is copper.
3. (Currently Amended) The induction cookware of ~~claim 4~~
claim 9 wherein the decorative outer layer is aluminum.
4. (Original) The induction cookware of claim 3 wherein the
aluminum is anodized.
5. (Currently Amended) An induction heated rice cooker
utensil comprising a bowl-shaped vessel made from a roll bonded composite
~~composite~~ metal sheet having one or more layers of a high heat-conducting metal of
aluminum and/or copper bonded to a layer of a ferromagnetic material, and an outer
decorative layer of copper bonded to the ferromagnetic material having a thickness
at least along a bottom wall of between 0.0002 to 0.003 inch.
6. (Original) The rice cooker of claim 5 wherein the bowl-
shaped vessel includes a non-stick surface applied to a food contacting side of the
high heat-conducting metal layer.

7. (Original) The rice cooker of claim 6 wherein the bowl-shaped vessel includes a non-stick surface applied to a food contacting side of the high heat-conducting metal layer.

8. (Original) An induction heated rice cooker utensil comprising a bowl-shaped vessel made from a roll bonded composite metal sheet having one or more layers of a high heat-conducting metal of aluminum and/or copper bonded to a layer of a ferromagnetic material, and an outer decorative layer of anodized aluminum bonded to the ferromagnetic material having a thickness at least along a bottom wall of between 0.0002 to 0.003 inch.

9. (New) Induction heated cookware comprising a vessel for containing and cooking a food product, said vessel made from a multi-ply bonded composite metal material including at least one layer of a ferromagnetic stainless steel and a layer of a decorative wrought metal selected from one of aluminum or copper forming an outer surface of the cookware vessel and bonded to said ferromagnetic stainless steel, said decorative outer layer having a thickness of between about 0.0002 to 0.003 inches at least along a bottom wall of the cookware vessel.